

ABSTRACT

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5 A system for implementing a failover policy includes a cluster infrastructure for
managing a plurality of nodes, a high availability infrastructure for providing group and
cluster membership services, and a high availability script execution component
operative to receive a failover script and at least one failover attribute and operative to
produce a failover domain. In addition, a method for determining a target node for a
failover comprises executing a failover script that produces a failover domain, the
failover domain having an ordered list of nodes, receiving a failover attribute and based
10 on the failover attribute and failover domain, selecting a node upon which to locate a
resource.

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